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1. THE PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY GUARD IN CHILE (COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS THE "GROUP OF PERSONAL FRIENDS" (GAP) IS NOW SEPARATED INTO THREE GROUPS OR SECTIONS. THE GARRISON (GUARNICION) SECTION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR GUARDING THE OFFICES OF PRESIDENT SALVADOR A L L E N D E AT THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE AND AT HIS RESIDENCE ON

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TOMAS MORO. FOLLOWING A SEVERE QUARREL BETWEEN T O L E D O (FNU), THE LEADER OF THE SOCIALIST PARTY (PS) MEMBERS IN GAP, AND S O T O M A Y O R (FNU), A MEMBER OF THE MOVEMENT OF THE REVOLUTIONARY LEFT (MIR), IN [REDACTED] 1971, ONLY PS MEMBERS ARE NOW ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS SECTION. [REDACTED] COMMENT: SOTOMAYOR CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED. TOLEDO MAY BE IDENTICAL WITH NELSON T O L E D O, WHO WAS ELECTED TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SOCIALIST YOUTH IN AUGUST 1971.)

2. THE SECOND SECTION OF THE GAP IS THE INTELLIGENCE AND INVESTIGATIVE SECTION (INFORMACION Y CHEQUEO), WHICH IS HEADED BY ONE F U E N T E S (FNU), A MEMBER OF THE PS WHO USES THE ALIAS OF "EL CIEGO." THE INTELLIGENCE AND INVESTIGATIVE SECTION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ADVANCE PARTY WORK WHEN PRESIDENT ALLENDE TRAVELS OUTSIDE SANTIAGO. [REDACTED] COMMENT: [REDACTED]

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COMMENT:

3. CUBAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS IN CHILE ARE SUPPORTING THE GAP WITH FUNDS, TRAINING AND THE PROVISION OF SIDEARMS. THE HAPHAZARD COLLECTION OF SIDEARMS FORMERLY USED BY GAP MEMBERS HAS ALMOST BEEN TOTALLY REPLACED BY CUBAN-PROVIDED .45 CALIBER COLT AUTOMATIC PISTOLS, 9MM BROWNING AUTOMATIC PISTOLS AND CZECH P-38 AUTOMATIC PISTOLS. THE FOREGOING THREE WEAPONS WILL BECOME THE STANDARD LINE OF ARMS FOR THE GAP.

4. THE CUBANS APPEAR TO BE STRONGLY FAVORING THE PS MEMBERS OF THE GAP OVER THOSE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHILE (PCCH), MIR AND UNITED POPULAR ACTION MOVEMENT (MAPU) IN ALL PHASES OF AID AND TRAINING. BECAUSE OF THIS AND PREVIOUS DIFFERENCES, RELATIONS BETWEEN PS AND MIR MEMBERS OF THE GAP ARE VERY STRAINED.

5. TRAINING FOR THE GAP IS CARRIED OUT AT LEAST PARTIALLY IN CLANDESTINE MEETING SITES. **COMMENT:**

6. IN COORDINATION WITH THE PS REGIONAL COMMITTEE OF NUBLE, TWO PS MEMBERS, WHO ALSO PARTICIPATE IN THE GAP, WERE RECENTLY SENT TO BOLIVIA TO ASSIST THE ANTI-IMPERIALIST REVOLUTIONARY FRONT (FRA) IN ITS FIGHT AGAINST BOLIVIAN PRESIDENT HUGO BANZERA. THE PS

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